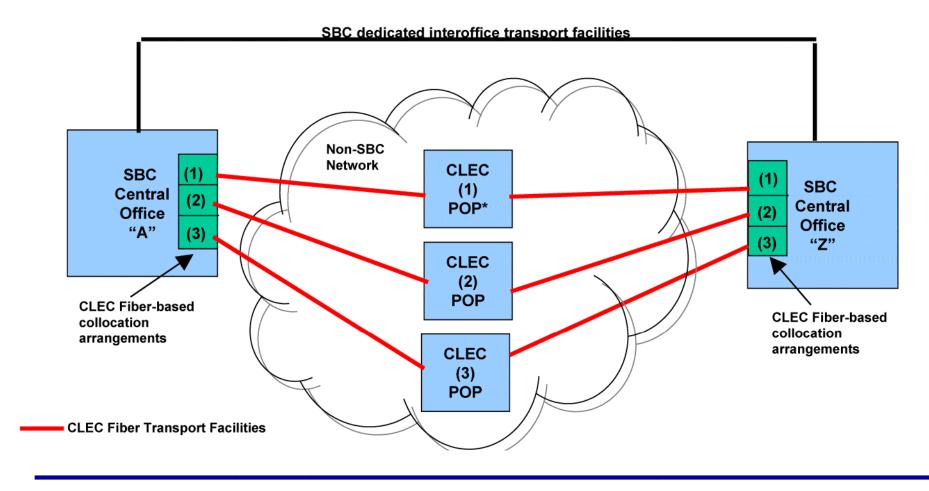
Dedicated Transport – Non-impairment example (Self-provisioning trigger satisfied)



*For illustration purposes only. Competing carrier (e.g., "CLEC") POPs may or may not be in physically separate locations. Some POPs are located in a common location such as a "collocation hotel" or carrier hotel."

Q8. What is dedicated transport?

A8. Dedicated transport facilities connect two points within a communications network, so that information can be transmitted between those two points. "Dedicated" transport means all or part of the facility is dedicated to a particular carrier or use and that there is no switching interposed along the transport route. (Direct Testimony of Scott J. Alexander On Behalf of SBC California Regarding Dedicated Transport, page 4)"